

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re: Kellermann et al. Confirmation No.: 5803
Appl. No.: 10/538,818 Group No.: 3673
Filed: February 2, 2006 Examiner: S. Singh
For: LONGWALL SUPPORT CONTROL FOR CONTROLLING THE
MOVEMENTS OF THE LONGWALL SUPPORT UNITS IN THE
LONGWALL OF A MINE

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)

1. This is a petition for an extension of time for a total period of two (2) months to respond to the Office Action dated January 17, 2007.
2. Applicant is ☒ a small entity; ☐ other than a small entity.
3. Calculation of extension fee (37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a)(1)-(a)(5)):
- | | Total Months
Requested | Fee For Other
Than Small Entity | Fee for
Small Entity |
|-------------------------------------|---------------------------|------------------------------------|-------------------------|
| <input type="checkbox"/> | one month | \$120.00 | \$60.00 |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | two months | \$450.00 | \$225.00 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | three months | \$1,020.00 | \$510.00 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | four months | \$1,590.00 | \$795.00 |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | five months* | \$2,160.00 | \$1,080.00 |

*Cannot be used to exceed six-month statutory limit for response to an Official Action.

- ☐ A check in the amount of \$ is enclosed.
- ☒ Charge Deposit Account No. 16-0605 for the extension fee.
- ☒ All fees are being authorized to be charged to Deposit Account No. 16-0605 when electronically filing
- ☒ Charge Deposit Account No. 16-0605 for any fee deficiency.

Respectfully submitted,



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